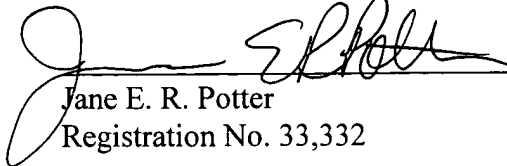


Remarks

With entry of this Preliminary Amendment, claims 12-18 and 22 are pending in this application. Favorable consideration and a Notice of Allowance are earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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